

# CABINET MEMBERS CARDINAL GIBBONS URGED TO JOIN FIGHT FOR WAR TRAINING FOR CLERKS' PENSION

Dr. Llewellyn Jordan Would  
Have Department Heads  
Make Recommendation.

ASKS CHIEF CLERKS TO AID

Believes Their Close Association  
With Superiors Would Give  
Weight to Suggestion.

Pension and retirement legislation for the employees of the Government in the classified service, will be the coming session of Congress if the President and Cabinet members make a concerted drive for it.

This is the opinion of Dr. Llewellyn Jordan, of the Treasury Department, prominent in the pension and retirement movement and who appeared before both Democratic and Republican conventions in behalf of such legislation.

Dr. Jordan is urging that a strong concerted effort be made by the Cabinet officials and the President for legislation the coming winter, inasmuch as the Democratic platform has declared for a pension and retirement system.

He says that if legislation of this kind cannot be secured now, with the Democratic party committed to it and organized labor for it, then it cannot be secured in the near future.

Asks Chief Clerks to Aid.

At a recent meeting of the Treasury branch of the Federal Employees' Union, Dr. Jordan emphasized the idea that the chief clerks of the various departments, being close to the heads of the Departments, should urge them to make a united demand on Congress in the annual reports instead of disunited action or action by a few members of the Cabinet only.

Dr. Jordan also has urged that the association of chief clerks take united work for a pension and retirement system.

The fact that the Democratic party in its platform campaign for pension and retirement system, Dr. Jordan thinks, will cut an important figure the coming winter if the recommendations in favor of the Government employees are strongly pressed.

Census of Employees.

Herbert D. Brown, chief of the Bureau of Efficiency, is compiling a complete census of all civil service employees, not only in Washington but throughout the country.

The information will be used as a basis to determine the cost of the several pension and retirement bills now pending in Congress. Mr. Brown has promised to have the information by December 1.

YOM KIPPUR SERVICE BROUGHT TO CLOSE

Hebrews of Washington End 24-Hour Observance of Holiday.

The most solemnized of their holidays, Yom Kippur, the Hebrew day of atonement, came to a close at sundown yesterday, after a twenty-four hour period of celebration by the Washington Hebrews.

The day was observed by the Washington Hebrews in special services in all their churches and by fasting. No food was eaten in the homes of the orthodox or the reformed Hebrews, the fasting being a custom expected to bring man and God nearer, and to cleanse the body of the sinner of his wickedness during the past year.

In the church of the Orthodox Hebrews, the Shofar, or ram's horn, was blown at times during their services, this custom being a ceremony which awakens the sinner from his lethargy of sin and calls him back to the worship of God.

In all temples and synagogues throughout the city, choirs assisted the conductors in leading the impressive services in Hebrew were offered throughout the day, led by the Rabbis or their assistants.

Strongly Advocates Military  
Service for Young Americans in Letter.

Cardinal Gibbons, in a letter to the Association for National Service, strongly advocates national military service in this country, and gives his reasons for believing that such training should be engaged in by all American youths.

The association has just made public the letter from the Cardinal, announcing at the same time that it would be widely circulated as a valuable contribution to the movement. The letter is as follows:

"I am intimately persuaded that military training for the youth of our country is of vital importance for the welfare and security of the nation. The discipline which young men acquire will develop their character and improve their physical condition."

"The habit of early rising and retiring to rest, the taking of simple and nourishing food and the daily outdoor exercise cannot fail to invigorate their manhood. Moreover, the association of the sons of wealth and the sons of poverty, the sons of America with the sons of foreign land, cannot fail to create a spirit of fraternity among young men, to weld them together as future citizens of a common country."

"Another advantage is that the discipline will instill into them a spirit of obedience to lawful authority, a virtue too often disregarded in our land of freedom. It will teach them the dignity of obedience, which they will regard not as an act of servility to man, but as a homage rendered to God, since they will consider their superiors as his representatives."

"Moreover, I am persuaded that this military preparation will make for peace rather than war. For if any nation is disposed to invade our country it will be deterred by the recognition of the fact that our country is prepared for every emergency. Another consideration is that the few years our youth will spend in military discipline will not indefinitely withdraw them from the active and peaceful pursuits of life."

DISTRICT "DRY" PLAN  
DUE UP THIS WINTER

Congressman Henry Expects Subject to Be Considered.

District prohibition will be one of the subjects up before the House Rules Committee next winter.

This was the prediction today of Congressman Henry of Texas, chairman of the Rules Committee.

Chairman Henry said the committee would have plenty of business on its hands next winter, not only will it have District prohibition but the prohibition amendment and woman suffrage in addition to a large number of other matters.

On Four-Day Motor Trip From Boston to Capital

Mrs. Frank H. Warren, formerly Mrs. George Rogers, and her husband, F. H. Warren, are spending some time in Washington, after a four days' motor trip in their car from Boston to this city, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Dow, of Melrose, Mass.

Mrs. Warren, prior to her recent marriage, spent her winters for twenty years in the Capital City, where she has a large circle of friends, and where she actively engaged in many social and literary activities, being a member of the National Press Association, the League of American Pen Women, and since 1902, of the D. A. R., holding for four years the office of vice regent in Monticello Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wenger, at 2000 First street northwest. They will return next week to their home in Swampscott, Mass.

Drug Slaves Ask to Go To Blackwell's Island

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Slaves to morphine from medical use, George Blair, expert accountant and his attractive wife were granted permission by a magistrate to be sent to the Metropolitan Hospital, Blackwell's Island, for treatment.

Golf Pioneer in America Is Dead of Paralysis

YONKERS, N. Y., Oct. 8.—John Reid, founder of golf in America, and life-long friend of Andrew Carnegie, died here last night of paralysis. He leaves a son, John Jr., of Racine, Wis.

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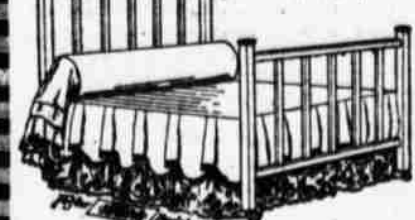
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Heavy Wool Nap Blankets, 64x90. You'll judge them good \$1.98 value at \$2.25.

Extra Heavy Blankets, 66x80, with mohair binding. Fairly \$2.19 worth \$2.50.

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Linen-finish Pillowcases, with wide hems, only 12 1/2c—54x90 Sheets, equal to Utica quality, only 65c—and many others.

85c Sheets, 70c 90c Sheets, 75c \$1.10 Sheets, \$1 \$1.20 Sheets, \$1.10 \$1.30 Sheets, \$1.20  
63x90 inch. 63x99 inch. 81x99 inch. 90x90 inch. 90x108 inch.

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New Crepe de Chine Dresses. \$7.98  
New Satin Dresses. \$5.00  
New Taffeta Silk Dresses. \$7.98  
New Cloth Coats. \$10.00  
All new—many to be on sale for the first time tomorrow morning.

Palais Royal Basement Store.

**Silk Petticoats, \$1.19**

Over two hundred counted last night—no black, but many colors. See if you will not value these petticoats at more than twice \$1.19. On sale tomorrow morning, in the Basement Store. None C. O. D.

**Hats \$1.39**  
Misses' and Women's \$2.98 values Felt Hats, autumn models, in navy, brown, coppenhagen, gray, white, etc.

**Dresses 69c**  
\$1.00 value House Dresses, of superior percales, light and dark shades. All sizes to 44.

**Corsets 49c**  
Non-rust steel. Strong material, in pink or white, medium bust. Sizes to 22.

**Blouses 39c**  
Misses' and Children's 50c Middy Blouses, heavy twilled jean, including many autumn styles.

**Covers 79c**  
Table Covers, mercerized, with satin stripes and checks. Hemmed ready for use. 1 1/2, 2, and 2 1/2 yards.

**Gowns 79c**  
\$1 Women's Flannelette Gowns, pink and blue stripes. Regular and extra sizes.

**Suits 39c**  
Women's 50c value Union Suits, light finished, light knee and umbrella style. Regular and extra sizes.

**Flannelette 9c**  
Pretty shades, in stripes, plaids, and checks. Flannelette standard at 12 1/2c yard.

**Cretonnes 23c**  
200 yards of new Autumn Cretonnes, copies of imported designs; 36 inches wide.

Palais Royal Basement Store.

**\$2.29 \$2.69 Value**  
"Perfect" Oil Heaters, Japanese trimming, metal oil tank.

**\$2.25 \$2.98 Value**  
Rotary Ash Sifter, heavy galvanized iron.

**\$1.20 \$1.49 Value**  
Ash Cans, galvanized iron.

**\$1.25 \$2.00 Value**  
Economy Bread Mixer and Raisin, capacity 2 to 6 loaves.

Palais Royal Basement Store.

**\$2.98 \$3.39 Value**  
"Perfection" Oil Heaters, made by the Standard Oil Co.

One (1) 88c Big Wonder Cedar Oil Floor Mop, 1 lb. can. Big Wonder Cedar Oil. Regular price \$1.13. The two for . . . . 89c

Ironing Board on stand, well-made of high-grade basswood, complete with iron rack. \$1.25 value. 98c

Electric Iron, complete, ready to use, guaranteed 10 years. \$1.98